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1. IN GENERAL, WORKING PAPER AC/127-WP/374 (NATO COUNTRY
IMPORTS OF OIL FROM COMMUNIST COUNTRIES IN 1972) IS A
GOOD USEFUL PAPER. SPECIFIC COMMENTS FOLLOW:

PARA 5 - SPECIFY THAT "OTHER COMMUNIST COUNTRIES"
EXCLUDES THE USSR.

PARA 7, SENTENCE 2 - DELETE "MORE PRECIPITOUSLY" AND
INSERT "SOMEWHAT MORE".

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PARA 11 - DELETE FIRST SENTENCE AND INSERT "IT DOES NOT SEEM THAT EXPORTS OF SOVIET OIL TO NATO AND INDUSTRIALIZED WESTERN COUNTRIES IN 1973 OR 1974 WILL BE SUBSTANTIALLY ABOVE THE 43 MILLION TON LEVEL OF 1972".

PARA 11, LINE 11 - AFTER "EXCEPTION OF" INSERT "POSSIBLE".

PARA 11, LINE 12 - AFTER "TIME AND" INSERT "PRESUMABLY REQUIRE".

PARA 12, LINE 9 - DELETE "EASTERN EUROPE" AND INSERT "OTHER COMMUNIST COUNTRIES"

PARA 12, LINE 10 - DELETE "ORIGINALLY" AND INSERT "EARLIER"

PARA 12, LINES 20-26 - WE BELIEVE PRESENT "WORLD PRICE OF OIL" FOR CALCULATING POTENTIAL SOVIET EARNINGS TO BE CLOSER TO \$9-12 PER BARREL. STATING SOVIET EARNINGS FROM OIL SALES IN ROUBLES AND HARD CURRENCY IS MISLEADING SINCE DOUBLE COUNTING INVOLVED. IN LINE 23 AFTER "COULD" INSERT "MORE THAN". DELETE LINES 24 AND 25 AND INSERT "RAISING THEM POSSIBLY TO". IN LINE 26 DELETE "2.3" AND INSERT "2.8".

PARA 12, LAST SENTENCE - DELETE "TO A SELLER'S" AND INSERT "IN THE " AND DELETE REMAINDER OF SENTENCE BEGINNING WITH "STIFFENING THE..." AND INSERT "TRYING TO IMPROVE ITS BARGAINING POSITION". KISSINGER

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